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ENCODING USING A VARIABLE  
NUMBER OF B FRAMES

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated May 17, 2007, and supplemental to the response filed October 17, 2007, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

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